

REMARKS

By this Second Preliminary Amendment, Applicants cancel pending claims 1-10 and add new claims 11-21 for prosecution in this case. New claims 11-21 are similar to claims issued in related U.S. Patent Nos. 5,495,508 and 5,625,653.

Early consideration and allowance of pending claims 11-21 is respectfully requested.

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